



# NEWSLETTER

## Number 4

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you for all your support this half term. Please remember that the school and nursery are not open to pupils on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October and Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October as we are having our INSET days.

#### SPONSORED WALK

The sun was shining on us on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October when we took part in our annual Sponsored Walk. The children and staff looked fabulous in their sports clothes. The money raised is being used for ICT equipment in the classroom. Many thanks for all your support if you have sent money in already. Please send money into school as soon as possible so we can share how much money we have raised.



#### FRIENDS QUIZ - BRING YOUR OWN FOOD

The Friends Quiz night is on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November. There will be rounds to tax your cerebrum and make your cranium ache! Starts 7:30pm, entry forms have been sent home in book bags - all proceeds to the PTA.



#### BIKE MARKING AT SAINSBURYS

Get your bike marked and registered FREE at the main entrance to Wellesbourne Sainsburys on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 11.00am - 2.00pm. Deters cycle thieves and reunites stolen bikes with their owners.

#### STRATFORD DISTRICT FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

Well done to the Year 6 boys who successfully defended their title at Central Ajax on Wednesday night. A fantastic result!



#### STARS OF THE WEEK

	Week 5	Week 6
6CH	Poppy	Calum
6B	Charlotte	Calum
5J	Grace and Joseph	Meg
5C	Oliver	Lucy
4S	N/A	Noah
4F	N/A	Jessica
3DW	N/A	Jack
3J	N/A	Millie and the Whole Class
2CP	Jack	Ellie
2RP	Jack	Megan
1N	Jade	Austen
1P	Isla	Alex
RP	Kate	Lexi
RW	Sydney	Isaac

#### PLAYGROUND STARS

Week 6 - Betty 2CP, Ellie 2RP, Apatza 5C  
 Henry 6B

#### FEEL GOOD FRIDAY CERTIFICATES

The 'Feel Good Friday' certificates went out last week and the children were delighted to receive them!

The deserving recipients were:

Week 5 - Nathan 3DW, Noah 4S and James 6CH

Week 6 - Natalie RW, Charlie 1P, Seth 3DW, Amelia 4S, Shannon 5J and Annabelle 6B

Look out for more coming your way this week!



#### CHRISTMAS CARD ORDERS

Art Projects for Schools have asked us to clarify the ordering process for this year's Christmas Card Art Project. After you have returned your child's art work with the filled in sticker to school by Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November, we will send the art work to APFS. They scan the art work and send the original back to school. Once you receive your child's original back again (this should be the 18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup> of November) you will then be able to use the unique code on the sticker to follow the order and payment process on the APFS website. Please remember you must order and pay by the 24<sup>th</sup> of November.



This half term we are thinking about 'Friendship'

#### PANTOMIME

Please remember to send in your child's slip for the Pantomime. The last date to send it into school is Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October. It will not be possible to add your child's name after this date.

#### Y4 FOOTBALL AT KINETON HIGH SCHOOL



Well done to the Year 4 boys who won all of their games in the group stage - playing very well and working as a team. They got into the semi-finals against Bidford Primary School where they drew 1-1 and this resulted in a penalty shoot out. Unfortunately, we lost by one goal but the team held their heads up high and congratulated the winning team. Excellent sportsmanship!

#### ATTENDANCE

Parents must telephone the school office before 9.00am on the first day of absence to report the reason. A reminder that parents do not have any entitlement to take their children on holiday during term time. Any application for leave of absence must establish that there are exceptional circumstances and the Executive Head Teacher Mrs Ocroft must be satisfied that the circumstances warrant the granting of leave. Please make sure you include an accompanying letter with your application form, explaining fully your reasons for applying for a leave of absence.

#### PARENTS EVENINGS

A reminder that Parents Evenings are on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November. Make sure you send your request slips into school.

Have a good half term.

Mr T Hewitt  
 Head of School

## DIARY DATES

Please be aware that, sometimes, it is necessary to change these dates.

INSET DAY 2	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> October	NON SCHOOL UNIFORM-chocolate for School Fayre	Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> December
October HALF TERM	23 <sup>rd</sup> - 27 <sup>th</sup> October	KS2 Assembly & certs Annexe Certificates Assembly	Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> December 2:45pm Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> December 9.05am
INSET DAY 3	Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> October	Christmas Fayre	Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December 1.30pm - 4.00pm
Annexe Cert only Assembly KS2 Cert only Assembly	Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November 9.10am Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November 2.45pm	Christmas Performances	W/B 11 <sup>th</sup> December
Parents Evening 1	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> November 4.30pm - 7.00pm	Children Christmas Lunch	Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> December
Parents Evening 2	Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> November 3.30pm - 6.00pm	Whole School Panto Trip (Oh yes it is...)	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December
1P Class Assembly & certs KS2 Certificates Assembly	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> November 9.10am Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> November 2.45pm	Year 6 Christingle	Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> December Time TBC
Friends Quiz	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> November 7.30pm	Christmas Carol Service at St Peter's and Christmas Jumper Day	Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December, 2.30pm
Children in Need - Non-uniform day Annexe Certs Assembly 5J Class Assembly	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> November Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> November 9.10am Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> November 2.45pm	Christmas Holiday	25 <sup>th</sup> December - 4 <sup>th</sup> January
4F Class Assembly and Certs Annexe Certificates Assembly	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> November, 2.45pm Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> November 9.10am	Teacher Training Day 3	Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2017
NON SCHOOL UNIFORM DAY-bottles for School Fayre	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> November	Children back in school	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> January

## BRAND NEW WINTER/SPRING DINNER MENUS

After consultation with the children of school council and parents, we have an exciting new menu for the Winter and Spring! As well as returning favourite dishes, we have added a third option - the potato option which will be available every day as an alternative. You should have had a copy of the three weeks' worth of menus but we will also upload them to the school website. Our new menus will start the first week after half term - please see the menu below for more information about the exciting changes! As you know, all children in Reception, Year 1 and 2 receive a free school lunch. Children in Years 3, 4, 5, and 6 will need to pay the new price of **£2.20** per day in advance. The current prices are: *£2.20 per day and £11.00 per week*.

**Please pay promptly and in advance as our Admin staff spend a huge amount of time chasing late payments. If you are unsure, as I know parents are busy, please check your balance on ParentPay regularly to make sure you are in credit.**

**Week 1: 30<sup>th</sup> Oct, 20<sup>th</sup> Nov, 11<sup>th</sup> Dec, 15<sup>th</sup> Jan, 5<sup>th</sup> Feb, 5<sup>th</sup> March, 26<sup>th</sup> March**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>BROWN</b>	Jacket potato with beans	Jacket potato with cheese	Jacket potato with beans	Jacket potato with cheese	Jacket potato with beans
<b>RED</b>	Pork meatballs in tomato sauce	Chicken fajitas	Lasagne	Roast chicken/stuffing	Fish fingers
<b>GREEN</b>	Quorn meatballs in tomato sauce	Quorn fajitas	Veg lasagne	Quorn roast + stuffing	Veg sausages
+	Wholemeal spaghetti	Oven baked potato wedges	Garlic bread	Oven-baked mini potatoes	Mash
<b>VEG</b>	Peas/sweetcorn	Side salad (cuc/tom/carrot)	Peas/cauli	Carrots/broccoli	Beans/sweetcorn
Dessert 1	Chocolate flavour ice cream	Lemon sponge cake	Cheese and crackers	50% apple/rasp crumble/custard	Fruity flapjack (50% fruit)
Dessert 2	Fruit or yogurt	Fruit or yogurt	Fruit or yogurt	Fruit or yogurt	Fruit or yogurt

Week beginning 30<sup>th</sup> October NEW MENU 1 (above) and Week beginning 6<sup>th</sup> November NEW MENU 2 (see website/twitter (@wellesprimary))